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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

SIR :

In response to the Office Action dated April 6, 2004, Applicant responds to the restriction requirement as follows:

In the Restriction Requirement the claims were divided into nine groups.

Group I – Claims 1-7, drawn to a method of displaying;

Group II – Claims 8-9, drawn to an accounting system with recorder;

Group III – Claim 10, drawn to a ticket generator;

Group IV – Claims 11, 13, drawn to a settlement target generator;

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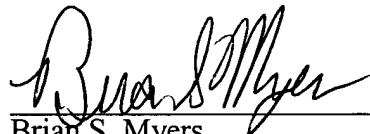
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Group V – Claims 12, 14, drawn to a settlement method;  
Group VI – Claim 15, drawn to a terminal device with QoS feature;  
Group VII – Claims 16-22, drawn to a terminal with a communication mode;  
Group VIII – Claim 23, drawn to a terminal with settlement target feature; and  
Group IX – Claim 24, drawn to a terminal with settlement method.

Applicants elect Group I, Claims 1-7, for further prosecution on the merits.

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Respectfully submitted,

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